accounting Issues

PAYOFF HIERARCHY

1. Current Support:

In the payoff hierarchy, CSUP and CSSI accounts will be paid proportionately before CSMS or CSSP accounts.

a. CSUP/CSSI	Child Support; SSI, Child Support
b. CSMS	Medical Support

c. CSSP Spousal Support

2. NAA1A Never Assigned Arrearages - Non-TANF/K-TAP

3. OSTNA Other State Non-TANF Arrearages4. SSI1A SSI1A Non-TANF Arrearages

5. MSA1A Current Client Medical Support Arrearages

6. OSAMA Other State Medical Arrearages7. SSP1A Spousal Support Arrearages

8. CAA1A Conditionally Assigned Arrearages 1

9. TANFA TANF/K-TAP Arrearages Owed to the Cabinet

10. OSTAA Other State Arrearages

11. CAA2A Conditionally Assigned Arrears to Prior Client

12. TAN2A Assigned Arrears to Prior Client

13. AFMSA TANF/K-TAP Medical Support Arrears

14. ASSPA TANF Spousal Support Arrearages

15. FCARA Foster Care Arrearages

16. FCMSA Foster Care Medical Support Arrearages

17. OSTFA Other State Foster Care Arrearages18. NFCRA Non-IV-E Foster Care Arrearages

19. NFMSA Non-IV-E Foster Care Medical Support Arrearages

20. UDA1A Unassigned During Assistance Arrearages 1

21. MEDIA Medicaid Arrearages

22. NAA2A Never Assigned Arrearages – Non-TANF/K-TAP, Formerly NPA2A

23. SSI2A Assigned SSI Arrearages to Prior Client,

24. MSA2A Conditionally Assigned Medical Support Arrearages to Prior Client.

25. UDA2A Unassigned During Assistance Arrearages to Prior Client

26. APFEA NCP Genetic Testing Fee

27. OSFEE Other State Fees

28. VLTY Monies Paid in the Absence of a Support Order

29. VLEX Non-TANF Voluntary Excess Payments

ul Hints

ted on a case, then the wage "Y" for money to distribute for that

age withholding order is completed for just be completed for all of the NCP'S ot include "I" cases.

to adjust money to a specific IV-D ES correctly allocated the payment.

g SSN for both IV-D and NIVD cases.

l cases first.

will allocate to all cases based on uses.

ins will be satisfied on all cases based

bove current support and arrearage the percentage of the combined total ons.

HOLD REASON

- Z = DISTRIBUTION LESS THAN \$1.00
- T = TAX MONEY
- A = ACCOUNTING REVIEW
- A = RXB5 CREATED BY FEDERAL TAX
- C = CASEWORKER REVIEW
- D = KTAP ACTIVE, CHECK RETURNED
- E = KTAP CASE HAS \$0 GRANT (SYSTEM GENERATED)
- G = NPA CASE WITH A KTAP GRANT (SYSTEM GENERATED)
- M = MISCELLANEOUS (IV-A INTERFACE REAPPROVALS)
- I = INVALID ADDRESS
- X = RXB5 TRANSACTION (SYSTEM GENERATED)
- J = ACCOUNT HOLD FROM JCAO SYSTEM. CONTACT JCAO PRIOR TO RELEASING
- U = UPLOAD PAYMENT RECEIVED WITHOUT IVD NUMBER (TRANSACTIONAL HOLD)
- W = TRANSACTIONAL HOLD ON WAGE PAYMENT/WITHHOLDING INDICATORS ARE "N"
- O = URES, II, IO, IT, RI, RO AND RT PAYMENT TYPE ALLOCATED TO K OR R CASE
- L = LEGAL DISPUTE
- F = FEDERAL TAX
- X = RXB5 TRANSACTION IS PROCESSED
- S = STATE TAX
- R = MONEY APPLIES TO CAA1A AND GRANT AMOUNT IS -0-.
- B = BATCH HOLD WHEN PAYMENT SETS TO REFUND ON A CLOSED CASE.
- H = STATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFSET HOLD
- K= WAGE PAYMENTS ALLOCATED TO I CASE TYPE
- P = SYSTEM HOLD WHEN THE ROUTING NUMBER IS NOT CORRECT ON EFT.
- N= SYSTEM ASSIGNED WHEN A STALE DATE CHECK IS RETURNED FROM TREASURY.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY Cabinet for Health and Family Services Department for Community Based Services

TO:

All IV-D Agents and Staff

CSHTL No. 87

Division of Child Support

Division of Service Regions, Child Support Section

FROM:

Tom Emberton, Jr.

Commissioner

DATE:

December 1, 2005

SUBJECT:

Issuance of Employer Notice of Lump Sum Withholding (Form CS-183) and Procedural

Instructions

The Employer Notice of Lump Sum Withholding (Form CS-183) and its procedural instructions have been placed on the Division of Child Support's Intranet Web page at http://manuals.chfs.ky.gov/dcbs_manuals/DCS/home_dcs.asp.

The Employer Notice of Lump Sum Withholding (Form CS-183) has been created to use as a cover letter for the Order/Notice to Withhold Income for Child Support (Form CS-89) or any judicial wage withholding order to notify employers that Kentucky Revised Statute 405.465, amended June 20, 2005, and effective January 1, 2006, requires employers with twenty or more employees to contact, in writing, the Division of Child Support (DCS) if the employee is to be paid a lump sum for workers' compensation benefits, severance pay, sick leave, retirement benefits or contributions, bonuses, or profit sharing payments or distributions; and the lump sum payment is for \$150.00 or more to the employee/noncustodial parent.

The CS-183 informs the employer of his or her responsibilities when an employee is scheduled to receive a lump sum benefit. The CS-183 also informs the employer of and how, when and who to contact at DCS and defines lump sum payments for the employer. The CS-89 is being revised to include this information on the state specific pages; however, because the CS-89 is incorporated in Kentucky Administrative Regulation (KAR) 1:410, the revised CS-89 cannot be issued until the amended regulation is adopted.

This transmittal letter is to be saved and filed for future reference as it explains changes that have been made to the Kentucky Child Support Forms. The Kentucky Child Support Forms are to be updated as shown below.

Instructions for Child Support Forms Maintenance

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Employer Notice of Lump Sum Withholding (CS-183) (12/05) and Procedural Instructions (12/01/05)

Effective January 1, 2006, KRS 405.465 requires any employer with 20 or more employees to provide written notification to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS) of a lump sum payment of any kind of \$150.00 or more to be made to an employee who is currently under a wage withholding order. The following guidelines should be followed:

- The employer is required to report lump sum payment to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS) no later than 45 days before the payment is to be made. If the right to the lump sum payment is determined less than 45 days before it is to be made, the report must be made on the date of determination.
- The employer is required to hold each lump sum payment of \$150.00 or more for thirty (30) days after the date on which it would otherwise be paid to the employee.

Lump sum payments refer to any payment to the employee in excess of \$150 that is not part of regularly scheduled wages. A lump payment of any kind means a payment of earnings (compensation paid or payable for personal services) and includes but is not limited to commissions, bonuses, payments pursuant to a pension, workers' compensation benefits, severance pay, profit sharing, employee buyout packages, and incentive payments. It does not include payments to employees for business expense reimbursement.

Please be assured that in instances where no past due child support amount is owed, every effort will be made to timely notify employers to release the payment to the employee. However, if an arrearage does exist the Division of Child Support's lump sum payment coordinator must notify the local office handling the case. The local office will then be responsible for determining if any portion of the lump sum payment should be withheld for child support payment and issuing the order for payment to the employer. If the employer is not contacted by the Division of Child Support, the lump sum payment may be released to the employee 30 days after it would otherwise be paid to the employee.

The lump sum coordinator for the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Division of Child Support is Carolyn Coney. Employers with questions concerning this process can reach Ms. Coney by telephone at (502) 564-2285, ext. 4456 or by email at CarolynG.Coney@ky.gov. The written notification must be mailed to the address listed below or FAXED to Ms. Coney's attention at (502) 564-5988 or (502) 564-7938. The notification must list the employee's name, social security number, amount of lump sum payment, and intended payment date. An employer with multiple employees receiving a lump sum payment may report the information for all employees on one written notification.

Division of Child Support Attn: Carolyn Coney Post Office Box 2150 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-2150 FTAX Federal Tax Refund Offset Payoff Hierarchy For Cases that have the client's mpi# attached as the account# in the CAA1A or CAA2A subaccount.

TANFA

TAN2A

AFMSA

ASSPA

FCARA

FCMSA

NFCRA

NFMSA

MEDIA

NAA1A

SSI1A

MSA1A

CAA1A

CAA2A

SSP1A

NAA2A

SSI2A

MSA2A

UDA1A

UDA2A

APFEA

OSTNA

OSTAA

OSAMA

OSTFA

OSFEE

FTAX Federal Tax Refund Offset Payoff Hierarchy For Cases that have account 40 attached as the account# in the CAA1A or CAA2A subaccount.

TANFA

TAN2A

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AFMSA

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FCARA

FCMSA

NFCRA

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MEDIA

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MSA1A

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October 2008

<u>Dept. for Income Support Child Support</u> <u>Enforcement EXTENSION #'s</u>

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FAX NUMBERS FOR CSE

Deputy Commissioner's Office - 502-564-5988 Distribution Section - 502- 564-9864 PROGRAM SERVICES BRANCH - 502-564-0255 Intercept Project Section – 502-564-1031 Central Processing – 502-564-7938

HOT LINE - 800-248-1163 IVR - 800-443-1576 IPS - 800-446-6041 NIVD - 877-706-8508 HELP DESK....800-443-2705

SECRETARY'S OFFICE....564-7130 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE...564-3703 TRAINERS564-9932 STATE INFO......564-3130 KASES......564-0104

Address for Payments:

Kentucky Division of Child Support P.O. Box 14059 Lexington, KY 40512-4059

KASES CASELOAD ASSIGNMENT DISTRIBUTION ACCOUNTANTS EFFECTIVE 10/1/08

Pat Gaines 300X030 SUPERVISOR ALL URGENT MAIL MESSAGE REQUESTS	Elizabeth Redmon 300x015 3 ANDERSON 27 CLINTON 34 FAYETTE (CDE)	Valerie Drake 300X027 1 ADAIR 12 BRACKEN 13 BREATHITT	Kay Sanderson 300x037 5 BARREN 16 BUTLER 30 DAVIESS	Teresa Grigsby 300X031 8 BOONE 10 BOYD 34 FAYETTE (RST)
Dianne Darnell 300x085 ASSIST SUPERVISOR	30 FULION 54 HOPKINS 56 JEFFERSON (CDE)	14 BRECKINKIDGE 15 BULLITT 29 CUMBERLAND	33 ESTILL 34 FAYETTE (LMN) 37 FRANKLIN	43 GRAYSON 52 HENRY 56 JEFFERSON (RST)
ASSIST ACCOUNTANTS APPROVES ADJUSTMENTS	<u> </u>	34 FAYETTE (IJK) 42 GRAVES		59 KENTON (RST) 76 MADISON
Janie Games 300X143	67 LETCHER 68 LEWIS 81 MACON	44 GREEN 53 HICKMAN 65 JACKSON	48 HARLAN 56 JEFFERSON (LMN)	80 MARTIN 85 METCALFE
ASSIST ACCOUNTANTS	83 MENIFEE	56 JEFFERSON (IJK)	110 TODD	89 MUHLENBURG
APPROVES ADJUSTMENTS	84 MEKCEK 99 POWELL	59 KENTON (IJK) 97 PERRY	111 TRIGG 114 WARREN	90 NELSON 103 ROWAN
	113 UNION 116 WAYNE	100 PULASKI 108 SPENCER	117 WEBSTER 118 WHITLEY	107 SIMPSON 109 TAYLOR
Crissy Holbrook 300x063 34 FAYETTE (OPQ)	Robert Lippert 300x010 9 BOURBON	Shastavia Beasley 300x036 20 CARLISLE	Dennis Charles 300x066 2 ALLEN	Roslynn Blue 300x068 24 CHRISTIAN
56 JEFFERSON (OPQ) 59 KENTON (OPQ)	17 CALDWELL 18 CALLOWAY	22 CARTER 25 CLARK	4 BALLARD 6 BATH	34 FAYETTE (UVW) 39 GALLATIN
87 MONTGOMERY	19 CAMPBELL	26 CLAY	7 BELL	45 GREENUP
88 MORGAN	21 CARROLL	32 ELLIOTT 34 FAVETTE (AB)	11 BOYLE	47 HARDIN
91 NICHOLAS 92 OHIO	34 FAYETTE (FGH)	35 FLEMING	31 EDMONSON	58 JOHNSON
93 OLDHAM	36 FLOYD	46 HANCOCK	34 FAYETTE (XYZ)	59 KENTON (UVW)
94 OWEN 95 OWSLEY	56 JESSAMINE	49 HAKKISON 50 HART	59 KENTON (XYZ)	61 KNOX 70 LIVINGSTON
96 PENDLETON	59 KENTON (FGH)	51 HENDERSON	60 KNOTT	71 LOGAN
98 PIKE	74 MCCREARY	56 JEFFERSON (AB)		72 LYON
105 SCOTT 112 TRIMBLE	75 MCLEAN 78 MARION	59 KENION (AB) 101 ROBERTSON	63 LAUREL 64 LAWRENCE	/3 MCCKACKEN 77 MAGOFFIN
115 WASHINGTON	79 MARSHALL	102 ROCKCASTLE		82 MEADE
119 WOLFE	120 WOODFORD	104 RUSSELL	69 LINCOLN	106 SHELBY
Trisha Johnson 300x117 Suspense Money	Carolyn Coney 300x019 COUNTIES (1 - 55) CHECK TRACERS MUTILATED CHECKS STALE DATED CHECKS LUMP SUM PAYMENTS	Brenda Hymer 300x022 COUNTIES (56 - 120) CHECK TRACERS MUTILATED CHECKS STALE DATED CHECKS		

1ST ROUND HOW KASES ALLOCATES A WAGE PAYMENT ON CSUP

- **STEP 1** Convert all open obligations to a monthly amount.
- STEP 2 Total the open current support obligations for all the NCP'S cases.
- STEP 3 Divide each case's obligation amount by the total from step#2 to get a percentage for each case.
- STEP 4 Multiply the percentage by the payment amount to see how much of the payment will be applied to each case's current support.

EXAMPLE:

The NCP has three obligations for current support which translate to the following monthly amounts: \$250.00 for case "A", \$275.00 for case "B". and \$325.00 for case "C".

He has made one payment of \$800.00.

STEP 2	\$250.00	Case "A"
	\$275.00	Case "B"
	\$325.00	Case "C"
	\$850.00	Total obligations

- \$TEP 3 \$250.00 divided by \$850.00 equals 29.4118% for case "A" \$275.00 divided by \$850.00 equals 32.3530% for case "B" \$325.00 divided by \$850.00 equals 38.2353% for case "C"
- \$10.00 x 29.4118% = \$235.29 for case "A" \$800.00 x 32.3530% = \$258.82 for case "B" \$800.00 x 38.2353% = \$305.88 for case "C"

KASES will apply the amounts shown above for each case.

2ND ROUND

HOW KASES ALLOCATES A WAGE PAYMENT ON ARREARS

- **STEP 1** Convert all open arrears obligations to a monthly amount.
- STEP 2 Total the open ARREARS obligations for all the NCP'S cases.
- STEP 3 Divide each cases obligation amount by the total from step#2 to get a percentage for each case.
- STEP 4 Multiply the percentage times the payment amount received to get the portion to be applied to each case's OA.

EXAMPLE:

The NCP has three obligations for ARREARS which translate to the following monthly figures: \$25.00 for case "A", \$25.00 for case "B", and \$50.00 for case "C".

He has made one payment of \$75.00.

STEP 2 \$25.00 Case "A" \$25.00 Case "B" \$50.00 Case "C" \$100.00 Total monthly arrears obligation amounts for all cases.

STEP 3 \$25.00 / \$100.00 for case "A" OA = 25.0000% (percentage \$25.00 / \$100.00 for case "B" OA = 25.0000% for each \$50.00 / \$100.00 for case "C" OA = 50.0000% CP's case.)

 STEP 4
 \$75.00
 \$75.00

 x .250000%
 x .250000%
 x .500000%

 \$18.75
 \$18.75
 \$37.50

(each cases portion for the \$75.00 payment)

KASES will apply:

\$18.75 for arrears OA in case "A" with a \$25.00 obligation;

\$18.75 for arrears OA in case "B" with a \$25.00 obligation;

\$37.50 for arrears OA in case "C" with a \$50.00 obligation.

IF NO FREQUENCIES ARE ON THE CASE WAGE PAYMENTS WILL HOLD AT THE NCP'S LEVEL FOR MANUAL DISTRIBUTION.

3RD ROUND

HOW KASES ALLOCATES A WAGE PAYMENT TO ARREARS (AFTER ALL CSUP AND ARREARS OA'S ARE MET)

- **STEP 1** Convert all open obligations to a monthly amount.
- STEP 2 Total the open CSUP and ARREARS obligations for all the NCP'S cases.
- STEP 3 Divide each cases obligation amount by the total from step#2 to get a percentage for each case.
- STEP 4 Multiply the percentage times the payment amount received to get the portion to be applied to each case.

EXAMPLE:

The NCP has three obligations for CSUP and ARREARS which translate to the following monthly figures: \$125.00 for case "A", \$25.00 for case "B", and \$50.00 for case "C".

He has made one payment of \$75.00.

(each cases portion for the \$75.00 payment)

KASES will apply:

\$46.87 for arrears OA in case "A" with a \$25.00 obligation;

\$9.38 for arrears OA in case "B" with a \$25.00 obligation;

\$18.75 for arrears OA in case "C" with a \$50.00 obligation.

IF NO FREQUENCIES ARE ON THE CASE WAGE PAYMENTS WILL HOLD AT THE NCP'S LEVEL FOR MANUAL DISTRIBUTION.